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OUTLINES.

The bureau report shows the average condition of cotton on August 25, 1904, was 84.1; condition in North Carolina was 88. —— Schooner "Mary E. Morse" was badly damaged in a collision with the bow of a warship in Hampton Roads. —— Cotton manufacturers in the South have filed complaints with the Interstate Commerce Commission against various railroad and steamship companies alleging unreasonable freight rates. —— Strike of negroes who handle cotton in New Orleans went into effect yesterday. —— The fighting at Liao Yang was resumed at dawn yesterday; General Oku gained ascendency over the Russian right and centre by a night assault. —— The Japs are using artillery captured from the Russians at Liao Yang. —— Great fires are reported raging in Liao Yang. —— The Russian casualties are reported at 30,000. —— Six persons burned to death and four others injured by an oil explosion and fire at Yello Creek, Ohio. —— By the falling of an elevator at Chicago two persons were killed and six others seriously hurt. —— Japs captured twenty-six Chinese junks carrying provisions into Port Arthur. —— There are upwards of fifty men under medical treatment at the military camp near Manassas. —— There is continued activity at National Democratic headquarters in New York City; the old campaign managers are to be brought into active service. —— Henry Watterson was one of Judge Parker's visitors yesterday. —— Five women passengers were killed and four others were injured in a train wreck on the Canadian Pacific Railroad. —— New York markets: Money on call easy at ½@1 per cent; cotton quiet at 11.10c; flour barely steady, with light demand; wheat—spot easy; No 2 red $1.10½ f. o. b. afloat; corn—spot easy, No. 2 59½; oats—spot dull, mixed, 26@33lbs., 35½@36c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine quiet at 55@56c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 2.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 73 degrees; 8 P. M., 78 degrees; maximum, 87 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, —; rainfall since first of the month to date, — inches.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Local rains have fallen in the Mobile, New Orleans, Vicksburg and Wilmington districts, with some heavy showers in Louisiana. The temperature changes are small.

FORECAST FOR TO DAY.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—For North Carolina: Partly cloudy Saturday, showers in the interior and cooler in west portion; Sunday fair; light to fresh southwest to west winds.

Port Almanac—September 3

Sun Rises	5.33 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.25 P. M.
Day's Length	12 H. 53 M.
High Water at Southport.	1.45 P. M.
High Water Wilmington.	4.15 P. M.

We might say that many a man has staid in the fight because there was no chance to get out of it.

It is no sign that General Kuroki is a news editor because he is trying to cut General Kuropatkin's communications.

"Why is Roosevelt so quiet now?" asks an exchange. He has been reading Uncle Remus and is learning to play "Brer Possum."

Atlantic City has an ordinance which forbids people on the beach to spoon. If Gen. B. F. Butler were living he would resent the ordinance as personal.

In New York the other day one man beat another because he was rich. A woman could have told the assailant that he could have made a better showing by pulling the man's leg.

"Why should Frank James, the exbandit vote for Roosevelt?" a newspaper inquires. He thinks probably he could assist Chairman Cortelyou in holding up subscribers to the campaign fund.

A Berlin man has invented a device which he claims will supplant the stenographer and typewriter. We reject his invention with scorn. No mere device could give satisfaction like the genuine article.

It is a little kurious that "Kuro" constitutes the first formation of the names of Generals Kuropatkin and Kuroki. We put Kuroki's name after that of Kuropatkin, for Kuroki always goes after Kuropatkin.

A Georgia girl has been notified that she has inherited $5,000,000 in mining lands in California. If she needs anybody to help her bear the burden of ownership, please address us, without stamp for reply.

It is believed that the schooner Roosevelt has anchord under the lee at Oyster Bay and lightened her cargo by throwing "the big stick" overboard. The last time she was seen she had a reef in her sails.

The alert and veracious war correspondent at Che Foo is now turning his attention to advertising the St. Louis exposition. He is bound to earn his money if he has to get a story from every Chinese junk that lands from Port Arthur.

BACK FROM THE TRIAL.

Police Chief Furlong Returns from Giving Evidence Against George Judge. Sentenced to Five Years.

Police Chief John J. Furlong returned yesterday morning from Nashville, Nash county, where he has been as a witness in the Geo. Judge case. This case is one thoroughly familiar to Wilmington people.

When Chief Furlong left the scene of the trial the testimony had been concluded and argument by counsel had commenced. All the evidence was presented by the State, as the alleged young fire-bug neither went upon the stand himself nor offered any testimony in his defence. Judge Justice is presiding in the case.

Sentenced to Five Years.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

TARBORO, N. C., Sept. 2.—George Judge, alias Ernest Brooks, was tried before Judge Justice at Nash Court today for the burning of the Masonic Temple and other buildings at Rocky Mount some time ago. The jury was out thirty minutes and returned a verdict of "guilty." Judge was sentenced to five years in the State prison. Other indictments, including arson, are said to be pending against the prisoner in other counties.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Market Street M. E. Sunday school went to Carolina Beach on an excursion yesterday.

— Nine bales of new crop cotton were received in Wilmington yesterday. One bale came from Goldsboro and the others from South Carolina.

— The Delgado Band will give a sacred concert at Carolina Beach tomorrow afternoon. See schedule for trips of the steamer "Wilmington."

— The schooner "Roamer," Capt. Moore, arrived in port yesterday from Little River points with a cargo of naval stores for Wilmington merchants.

— The work of clearing the large lot at the corner of Sixth and Campbell streets for the coming of the carnival has commenced and is being rapidly pushed.

— Hollowbush's Band had an excellent rehearsal last night at the armory of the Naval Reserves preparatory for its part in Wilmington's big Labor Day celebration.

— A large attendance of young people is expected at the closing ball of the season to take place to-night at the Seashore Hotel. Special cars will be run to the Beach for the event.

— The schooner "Phillip M. Brooks" cleared yesterday for New York with 274,138 feet of lumber. The cargo was by the Angola Lumber Company and the vessel by C. D. Mafflit.

— The Academy's superb orchestra will make its debut for the season at the matinee of "A Boy Wanted" this afternoon, and for this occasion a splendid programme of music has been arranged.

— On Labor Day cars will leave Front and Princess streets every half hour from 9:00 A. M. to 11:00 P. M., and will leave the beach every half hour from 10:00 A. M. to 12:00 o'clock midnight.

— Several persons saw what they supposed was an air ship passing over the city Wednesday night about 8 o'clock. It is mighty hard sometimes to distinguish the difference between sails and "three sheets in the wind."

— The Atlantic Coast Line has received three handsome new mail and baggage cars from the Pullman works. They are 60 feet in length, which is 10 feet longer than ordinary coaches. They will be used between Wilmington and Charleston.

— The season at Carolina Beach will close about the 15th instant. The steamer "Wilmington" has done a tremendous business this Summer and the Beach has increased its great popularity with the people of the city and the excursionists who visit our city.

— Says the Richmond *Times-Dispatch*: "Mr. J. J. Littig, better known as the 'man with the white shoes,' of Wilmington, N. C., is in the city visiting friends. Mr. Littig is well known here. He is the North Carolina representative of the Home Brewing Company, and also represents Wrightsville Beach, N. C. Mr. Gus Bernier, of the Home Company, had him in tow last night and Mr. Littig agreed to send a barrel of North Carolina shrimp to his Richmond friends."

Will Leave Wilmington.

Wilmington is to lose two more of her citizens. They are Mr. J. S. Canady and Mr. W. A. Canady, who have purchased a business at Swansboro, N. C., and will move there to conduct the same. In connection with this business the Messrs. Canady will run an up-to-date and splendid pharmaceutical establishment. Mr. W. A. Canady, who has been employed in the general offices of the Coast Line, will go to Swansboro Monday and Mr. J. S. Canady, his father, will move there with his family about the fifteenth. Their many friends in this city will certainly regret their departure.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

T. D. Love Co.—Tin plate.
Hall & Pearsall—New mullets.
Carolina Beach—Concert to-morrow
Smith Davis Co.—Muriate of potash.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Five Rooms—For rent.
Wanted—Position in grocery store

LABOR DAY HONORED

Mayor Springer Issues a Proclamation Calling for Its Proper Observance.

CITY DEPARTMENTS TO CLOSE

The Day Proclaimed a Legal Holiday and All Citizens Urged to Observe It. Hon. R. B. Glenn and Supt. J. Y. Joyner Will be Here.

Mayor Springer issued the following proclamation yesterday:

To the people of Wilmington, N. C:

GREETINGS:—Whereas, the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina has by legal enactment, ratified the 23rd day of January, A. D., 1901, designated the first Monday in September as "Labor Day" and directed that the same shall be a legal holiday, and

Whereas, it is contemplated by the provisions of the law that on that day no one shall be required to do or perform any work or labor other than that which necessity demands,

Now, therefore, in accordance with the terms and design of such act and by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Wilmington, I hereby proclaim and announce to the people of Wilmington, Monday, September the fifth, 1904, a legal holiday. I hereby direct that all departments of the City Government, (other than the Police and Health Departments) be closed on that day, and that the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen be adjourned until the following night, Tuesday, September 6th, 1904.

The Federal and all State governments have, by legal act, shown their respect and admiration for laboring men and labor organizations, and properly so. When the business interests and prosperity of Wilmington are dependable upon them, and in such a large measure directly traceable to their energy, enterprise and loyalty, it is befitting, and but just, that the city government should recognize and pay the same respect as that bestowed by National and State legislation.

I sincerely trust that the people of Wilmington will enjoy the day, and respect the occasion as deserved.

I have this the 3rd day of September, 1904, hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the City of Wilmington, to be hereto affixed.

WM. E. SPRINGER,
Mayor of the City of Wilmington.

The Celebration Monday.

The workingmen of Wilmington will make the day memorable by the celebration at Wrightsville Beach on Monday. A special schedule of the suburban cars will be operated to the beach, and the round trip has been reduced to 25 cents for this occasion. It is expected that the largest crowd of the season will go to the beach and enjoy the fine programme, which appears in full elsewhere in the STAR this morning.

The Hon. R. B. Glenn, Democratic nominee for Governor, who is to be the orator of the day, will be accompanied by the Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, who is also to deliver an address.

Captain Glenn's speech will afford a fine opportunity to our people to hear the next Governor of North Carolina.

MERRY, MERRY MATINEE.

"A Boy Wanted" at the Academy This Afternoon and Again To-night.

The first theatrical attraction of the season will be offered at the Academy this afternoon and will be a special matinee presented by the clever and popular "A Boy Wanted" Company. This same meritorious attraction will again hold the boards at the local playhouse to-night and seats for this performance are now on sale at Plummer's. The matinee will, no doubt, be largely attended, for aside from the fine company offering the prices have been reduced to 25 and 50 cents.

This play made a big hit last season, and it has been re-written and is more elaborately staged than ever, it is sure to create a more favorable impression with the patrons of this popular theatre.

Eighteen new musical numbers furnish the musical entertainment. The handsome and attractive girls of the chorus have fine voices and are gowned in the latest and swellest costumes.

Among the cast are: Walter Hawley, John O'Meara, Louis Morgan, William, Carrye, Dorothy LaMar, Maude Jacobi, Madelon Irwin and others. These artists put forth every effort to please their audiences, and have made "A Boy Wanted" the great success of the season.

CRUISE OF THE RESERVES.

A Misunderstanding at Washington May Prevent the Trip to Sea.

Commander T. C. Daniels, of Newbern, commanding the North Carolina Naval Brigade, who has been in the city a couple of days, is not very hopeful that the reserves will be able to take their contemplated cruise.

There has been some misunderstanding about the matter at Washington. The auxiliary cruisers "Hornet" and "Yankton" which the Secretary of the Navy had designated to come to Wilmington to take the reserves on their cruise at sea, have lately been ordered on other duty. The "Hornet" is now bound for Key West with naval supplies, and the "Yankton" has gone to Newport to act as tender to the torpedo flotilla.

Commander Daniels expects to hear from Washington this week but is not much encouraged over the prospects.

Take the children to the Casino—25 cents round trip on trolley line for children under twelve years.—No charge for children under 5 years. †

FOR WATCH STEALING.

Did These Two Young White Men Rob the Smith Residence?—They Did Sell a Stolen Watch in Raleigh.

While diligently searching for one stolen watch, Police Chief Furlong about a week ago located another one. Then began the quest for thief or thieves and early yesterday morning two young white men of this city, Loftin Garrison and Phenny Kermon, were arrested as these individuals. They were arrested by Policeman Marcus Gray about the peep of day and at noon yesterday they were tried in the police court. Each was bound over to the Superior Court in the sum of $100. Kermon gave a cash bond, but Garrison was unable to furnish bond at that time, though he will probably do so shortly, and was committed to jail.

The watch now figuring is a gold one and was stolen from the residence of Mr. G. Herbert Smith, corner of Second and Nun streets, and is the property of a nurse of the household. Mr. Smith's family has been spending the Summer on the beach and during this time the house was entered and the watch stolen.

While trying to trace another stolen watch Chief Furlong discovered that the watch stolen from the Smith house was in the possession of the police of Raleigh, and had been obtained by them from two young white men of this city. It developed that these young men were Kermon and Garrison, whom, it will be remembered, were arrested in the Capital City for vagrancy a short while ago, and subsequently turned loose. The arrests followed.

Each one of the young white men accuses the other, it is understood, of having the watch when the pair went to Raleigh and sold it. Only one of them testified at the trial yesterday. Kermon stated under oath that Garrison had the watch. Garrison, who was represented by Woodus Kellum, Esq., did not go upon the stand.

AGROUND THREE TIMES.

But at Last the Steamer Janeta Is Safe in Port.

After trouble galore with the bottom of old Cape Fear the British steamer Janeta, loaded with kainit, is now in port discharging her cargo. The craft draws twenty-three feet of water and upon her arrival at the quarantine station last Sunday night she found that this worked very much to her detriment in this particular case, for she got stuck hard and fast. Several other boats went to her assistance and succeeded in pulling her off and starting her on her course once again. However, she was not destined to enjoy immunity but a short time, for twenty-three miles down the river she again went ashore. Again was she pulled off and she progressed to within three miles of her moorings, when for a third time the same trouble occurred. This time her cargo was made light and early yesterday morning she arrived safe and sound in port.

UNDER THE SHADE OF THE TREES.

All Mortal of a Gallant Confederate Soldier Laid Tenderly Away.

The funeral of the late Owen C. Hill, a brave Confederate soldier who answered the last roll call Thursday night and passed to the Permanent Camping Ground, was held yesterday afternoon from the family residence, corner Sixth and Queen streets, at 3:30 o'clock. The service was beautifully conducted by Rev. W. A. Simkins, pastor of the Primitive Baptist church, Raleigh, who came to Wilmington for that especial purpose, and the interment was in Bellevue cemetery. The funeral was largely attended and the veterans were present in a body.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Jesse Wilder, W. D. Rhodes, John Casteen, H. L. Horne, O. H. Kennedy and J. P. Montgomery.

DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The Knights of Pythias of the First District to Meet at Southport.

The K. of P. Lodge of the First District, embracing the four lodges at Wilmington, and the lodges at Clarkton, Whiteville, Chadbourn and Southport, are making arrangements to have a great district convention to be held with Caswell Lodge, Southport, on the night of September 15th. The occasion will be made a memorable one and full delegations from all the lodges are expected to attend. A fine programme is being arranged.

The steamer Wilmington has been chartered to take the Knights to Southport. She will leave Wilmington at 6. P. M., October 15th, and arrive at Southport at 8 P. M. After the exercises the steamer will leave Southport and arrive in the city next morning at an early hour.

Carried a Deadly Wee-pon.

A "cullud pusson," by the name of of R. H. Grist, was an offender arraigned in the Mayor's court yesterday charged with carrying a concealed weapon. He was discovered with the deadly wee-pon while he was aboard one of the suburban trolleys and the discoverer—the conductor of the car—made a report of it to Policeman G. R. Holt, who was on duty at Front and Princess streets, and thus did the arrest and subsequent trial follow. Grist was bound over to the Superior Court under a $25 bond, which he was lucky enough to give.

A dip in the ocean these hot afternoons is a pleasure beyond compare—car every half hour in the afternoon.

LABOR DAY PROGRAM

The Arrangements Completed for a Big Day at Wrightsville Beach Monday.

TWO DISTINGUISHED ORATORS

The Next Governor of North Carolina and the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to Speak—A Great Street Parade in the City.

The committee of arrangements representing the labor organizations of the city held an enthusiastic meeting last night to conclude the arrangements for the labor day celebration which is to take place at Wrightsville Beach next Monday. All the members of the committee were present, and the arrangements are working out beautifully for a grand celebration.

The committee made some changes in the former programme.

At 9:30 A. M. there will be a grand street parade in the city. The procession will form at Front and Chesnut streets under the following marshals: J. G. Smith (chief), A. H. Weeden, J. Frank Stanland, E. C. Yarborough, J. O. Powers, W. C. Wallace and D. W. Mason. The parade will be headed by a platoon of 12 policemen, and will move down Front street to the Orange, on Orange to Fifth, up Fifth street to Red Cross, on Red Cross street to Front, down Front street to the junction of Front and Princess streets, where the suburban cars will be taken for the Beach. The policemen will also go to the Beach and will be sworn in to preserve order during the day.

At the Beach the exercises will be held at the Casino and the following will be

The Programme

1. 12:30 P. M. Standing Broad Jump. Prizes, $3, $2 and $1.
2. 1 P. M. Sack race. Prizes, $3, $2 and $1.
3. 2:10 P. M. Acrobatic Performance by Signor Kleiss.
4. 2:30 P. M. Introduction of the Hon. R. B. Glenn by G. F. Quinn.
5. Music by Hollowbush's Band and the Casino Orchestra.
6. Introduction of the Hon. J. Y. Joyner, by G. F. Quinn.
7. Clog dancing. Prizes, $5, $3, and $2.
8. Dead Rise Skiff Race under management of Captain C. D. Mafflit. The race will take place in the surf in front of the Casino.
9. Greasy Pig Race. Catcher to be awarded the pig.
10. Regatta by the Carolina Yacht Club.

DISTINGUISHED GUESTS.

The speakers for the day will be the Hon. R. B. Glenn, of Winston-Salem, Democratic nominee for Governor, and the Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Capt. Glenn will arrive in the city by the Atlantic Coast Line at 10:10 A. M. to-morrow and will be met at the depot by the reception committee and escorted to The Orton, where he will be entertained during his stay here.

Superintendent Joyner will arrive in the city on Monday at 10:10 A. M. and will be met at the Front street station by the committee. Captain Glenn will also be taken to the station to join Mr. Joyner, and as soon as the train arrives from the North, a special train will take the party to the beach. The following guests will accompany the party: Mayor William E. Springer, Hon. George Rountree, Iredell Meares, Esq., and the members of the press. They will be accompanied by the reception committee consisting of Captain W. F. Corbett and Messrs. G. F. Quinn, J. Edgar Lewis, and D. P. McLean.

Chief Marshal J. G. Smith requests that it be annouced that entries for the contests will be open till 12 o'clock Monday. He will be at the beach and make entries from 10 A. M. till 12 M.

BRUNSWICK DEMOCRATIC DISSENSION.

Independent Convention Met Yesterday and Nominated a Ticket.

Deep interest was manifested in the city yesterday in the statement made in the STAR that dissensions have sprung up in the Democracy of Brunswick county. A number of the advocates of the Watts Bill, concerning the regulation of the liquor business in North Carolina, are dissatisfied with what they conceive to be the unfriendly action of the regular Democratic county convention held at Lockwood's Folly, August 4th.

According to the call of those who oppose the regular nominees, an independent convention was held yesterday at Lockwood's Folly and the following ticket was nominated:

Representative—Rev. Euclid McWhorter.
Sheriff—James Holmes.
Register of Deeds—Geo. H. Gray.
Treasurer—Robert M. Swain.
Clerk of Court—R. S. Newton.
Commissioners—Richard Dosher, J. H. Henry, N. B. Bennett.
Coroner—W. R. Fergerson.

Confederate Reunion at Burgaw.

Mr. H. E. Newberry, of Magnolia, writes us that the reunion of Company B, 1st Battalion Heavy Artillery, will be held at Burgaw September 22nd, instead of September 15th, as previously published. Preparations will be made to make the gathering of old veterans a big affair and it is desired that every member will be in attendance.

Photographs—The Vale Studio will be open for appointments Labor Day. †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mrs. R. C. Merritt has returned from a visit to Fayetteville.

— Miss Mary Kingsbury went to Bedford City, Va., yesterday.

— Mr. W. H. Montgomery is spending a while at Mount Airy.

— Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Cowan returned from the North last night.

— Mrs. S. H. Fishblate has returned from a visit in Richmond.

— Mr. Joe S. Armstrong will attend school at Forest, Va., this Fall.

— Mr. John R. Hanby and family have returned from Jackson Springs.

— Mr. C. F. Smith, of Tar Heel, Bladen county, is in the city on business.

— Miss Posy Bacot, of Charleston, is here on a visit to Mrs. Gabriel Holmes.

— Mrs. H. K. Nash and children went yesterday to Tarboro to visit relatives.

— Mr. Willie P. Emerson has come back from his summer trip to Kentucky.

— Mr. C. A. Blizzard, of Keith, was in the city making business calls yesterday.

— Capt. W. E. Kyle, of Fayetteville, was in the city on railroad business yesterday.

— The Misses Short, of Washington, are here on a visit to their sister, Mrs. S. J. Springer.

— The Misses Evans, of Charlotte, are visiting Miss Marie Baldwin at Wrightsville Beach.

— Mrs. D. D. Pridgen and little son Carl went to Calntuck yesterday to visit Mrs. A. B. Pridgen.

— Cameron MacRae, Esq., accompanied by Mrs. MacRae, has gone to New York on business.

— Mrs. W. E. Worth and her nephew, Mr. Tallman Geery, have gone to Brooklyn, N. Y., on a visit.

— Mrs. J. N. Brand, of Savannah, and her little son are here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. M. L. McLeod.

— Mr. Julian R. Clement, night clerk at The Orton, has gone to his old home at Warrenton to spend his vacation.

— Mr. Marion James left yesterday afternoon to spend his vacation amid the mountains of North Carolina.

— Miss Julia Horton, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned to her home in Washington yesterday morning.

— Miss Julia Haughton, of Washington, N. C., has returned home after having been here some time on a visit to Miss Daisy Burbank.

— Mr. E. Lilly has gone to Wilson, and Mr. Walker Meares to Pollocksville, to buy cotton during the season for Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, cotton exporters.

— While Captain T. G. Pae, of the Atlantic Coast Line, is off on his wedding tour, Mr. W. F. Shine is acting station master in his stead.

— Mrs. Manning, Miss Sanders, and Miss Marie Sanders, of Sumter, S. C., are spending a while at the Northrop cottage at Wrightsville Beach.

— Dr. J. D. Nutt, Grand Lecturer, K. of P., left yesterday for a visitation to the lodges at Elizabeth City and other cities in Eastern Carolina.

— Miss Williams, of Tennessee, passed through the city yesterday afternoon on her way to Beaufort, where she is to teach school the current scholastic season.

—Mr. Joseph E. Thompson, city editor of the STAR, left yesterday for a ramble in the woods. He is taking his annual vacation, and will be absent a week or so.

— Miss Helen F. Thompson, who has been spending the Summer with Miss Irene Peterson has returned to her home in Yonkers, N. Y., much to the regret of her many friends and admirers.

The Weather in August.

The monthly meteorological summary of the Wilmington station for the month of August was as follows:

Atmospheric Pressure—Mean, 30.06; highest 30.27, date 10th; lowest, 29.86, date 15th.

Temperature—Highest 95, date 3rd; lowest 61, date 29th; greatest daily range 25, date 23rd; least day range 7, date 4th; mean of this month for 34 years, 79; average daily excess or deficiency of this month as compared with mean of 34 years 1.3; accumulated excess or deficiency since Jan. 1st, 4.97; average daily excess or deficiency since Jan. 1st, 2.0.

Wind—Prevailing direction southwest, total movement, 4,525 miles; maximum velocity (for five minutes) 38 miles per hour, from the west on the 18th.

Precipitation—Average of this month as compared with average of 34 years, 19; accumulated excess or deficiency since Jan. 1st, 5.93.

Sunshine and Cloudiness—Number of clear days, 7; partly cloudy, 19; cloudy, 5; on which .01 inch, or more, of rain fell 16.

Greatest amount of precipitation in any consecutive 24 hours, 2.33 inches on the 5th.

— Mr. Will L. Miller, agent for the Acme Tea Chest Company, has been notified that the British steamship "Armenia," Captain Scharf, will arrive in Wilmington October 5th for a cargo of gum logs for the company's factory in Glasgow, Scotland. The tonage of the "Armenia" is 2800 and she will carry a cargo of 625,000 feet of logs.

JOINT CELEBRATION OF UNIONS.

Labor Day!

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH.

25c. Round Trip.

PROGRAM:

Parade forms at Front and Chesnut at 9.30 A. M.

AT THE CASINO, WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH,

Acrobatic Performance by Signor Kleiss.
Overture by Prof. Hollowbush's Band.

Hon. R. B. Glenn's Address.

Music by the Two Bands.
Clog Dancing on the Stage; Three Prizes.
Dead Rise Skiff Races, managed by Capt. C. D. Mafflit.
Any and all classes of Dead Rise Skiffs elegible for entry. Also Rowing Races.

After the Exercises Music for Dancing by the Casino Orchestra.

Good Order Is Assured.

The City of Wilmington will furnish twelve uniformed policemen for duty on the Beach that day and no one in an intoxicated condition will be allowed.

Greasy Pig Race--Open to Everyone.
Cars every half hour, from 9 A. M. to 11 P. M.

Muriate of Potash.

Sulphate of Potash, Nitrate of Potash, Nitrate of Soda,

GENUINE PERUVIAN GUANO.

When you are in need of any of the above material we will be most pleased to name you our lowest prices.

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THE ACADEMY'S STAFF.

Corps of Clever Ones to Greet You at the Local Playhouse.

Messrs. Cowan Bros. yesterday announced their full staff for the present season at their play-house—the Academy of Music—in this city. The personnel of the staff is a fine one, and shows conclusively that cleverness and efficiency will prevail at the local theatre. It is as follows:

House Manager—W. B. Savage.
Treasurer—John W. Blomme.
Assistant Treasurer—Jake L. Solomon.
House Officer—Harvey Cox.
Chief Usher—William Huhn.
Stage Director—James D. Mote.
Assistant Stage Director—George Mote.
Property Director—W. P. Farris.
Electrician—Thomas Williamson.
Leader of Orchestra—C. W. Hollowbush.
Doortenders—Walter Morris and Oscar Merritt.
Ushers—Joe Quinlivan, Pat Gerken, Freeman Yopp, Alex. Fulcher, Rudolph Gieschen, Louis Hewlett, Will Bissinger, A. E. Huhn, Will Gore, Harry Morriss and Hardy LeGwin.

PROPERTY CHANGES HANDS.

Three Valuable Pieces of Property Were Sold Yesterday in This City.

Several transactions in dirt transpired yesterday and were noted at the office of the Register of Deeds by the filing of three indentures as follows:

Walter J. Reeves to J. B. Fales and wife, property on the east side of Front street, between Dock and Orange, having a frontage of 47 feet, for $3,200.

J. C. Gore and wife to A. G. Warren and wife, property on Third street, south of Campbell, size 60x90 feet, for $3,000.

Catherine D. Meares to Gabriel DeR. Waddell, house and lot on the east side of Fifth street, between Princess and Market, for $4,000.

LITTLE GIRL PASSES AWAY.

Lela Piner Succumbs to Malarial Fever. Remains Sent to Willard.

The remains of little Lela Piner, who died in this city early Thursday night of malarial fever, were carried away on yesterday morning's north bound Atlantic Coast Line train to Willard for interment. The parents of the young girl, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Piner, and her other near relatives of Wilmington, accompanied the remains.

Little Lela was a bright child and was nine years of age. She died at the home of her parents, No. 616 Harnett street.

— Steamer "Cayo Blanco" sailed from Shields for Wilmington Sept. 1st.

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NOTICE!

The annual meeting of stockholders of Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., for election of Directors, will be held at their Banking House Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, September 7th, 1904.

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GOOD RIDDANCE.

We are convinced that ninety-nine per cent. of the people of North Carolina will approve of the lease of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad, done at a special meeting of the stockholders at Morehead City on Thursday. The State of North Carolina was the majority stockholder in this railroad, and we are gratified with the one fact especially that the lease means that the State has cut itself loose from the ownership of railroads. The functions of a government by the people, in our opinion, do not in any wise comprehend State ownership or operation of utilities except for the immediate purpose of making the administration of that government effective. If it need be that we shall make plainer this declaration, we will say that the State should engage in no business unless it is a part of the machinery for making statehood effective, in maintaining the established institutions of the State, and in strictly carrying out the aims and purposes of government. If it is a mere business proposition or enterprise not intended as a part and parcel of the government and not necessary to carry on the government, a State should have no ownership in it. We are firmly convinced that a State should not engage in business, but leave open to the citizens every avenue of opportunity and endeavor, protected and controlled by wise and beneficent and helpful laws. That policy has made of the American a man of strong initiative, has made the Americans the most enterprising people in the world, has builded a strong individualism in the men of this Republic, and made strong men to constitute the masters of finance and the captains of industry. In our humble judgment it has been this policy, with its freedom of individual endeavor and its liberty of opportunity, that has produced men in this country little less in their importance and equal in ability to the heads of the world powers themselves.

For the reasons, briefly stated above, we have favored the lease or sale of the State's interest in the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad. We have not based our advocacy of a lease on any alleged corruption or mismanagement in the opperation of this particular road, but we will say that in a general way we are against government ownership in order to avoid those conditions. Politicians cannot run railrads and in getting a railroad out of the hands of a State or National government, we just cut out that much opportunity for its political exploitation and eliminate the more than strong probability of mismanagement, graft, corruption in the railroad management and the ultimate debauchment of the body politic and the State itself. We do not know whether any better terms could have been secured than were embraced in the lease proposition of the Howland Improvement Company, but we believe it is a happy day for North Carolina and its people that the State has gone out of the railroad business.

The action of the stockholders at Morehead City indicated an overwhelming desire for the State to cut itself loose from railroad and hotel ownership. The vote by which the lease proposition was adopted was 1,258 to 97. The stockholders by that action empowerd and instructed the directors to consumate the lease. Mr. C. E. Foy, who vigerously opposed the lease in the stockholders' meeting, is one of Newbern's most prominent citizens. He is a man of means, strong character and fine sense, and no doubt believed that it was not advisable to lease. We regret that he proposes to further obstruct the lease by legal steps, but it is to be hoped that he will surrender to the inevitable. We had some doubt whether the State had any right to make any disposition of its holdings without an act of the General Assembly so authorizing, but former Governor T. J. Jarvis, attorney for the State Board of Internal Improvement, gave the Governor his opinion that there is absolutely no question about the legality of the lease. We understand that the terms of the lease will yield to the State an annual revenue of $37,998. This is better than no revenue under State operation of the property, besides a losing business on the part of the State was not fair to the private stockholders.

We are satisfied that the Howland syndicate will develop the territory within the sphere of the railroad in a manner impossible under State ownership. There will not only be more efficient management and equipment of the road, but we have it from good authority that one of the contemplated plans is to develop the country along the line into a vast trucking region. The lands will be surveyed and drained on a systematic scale, and immigration will be induced in a thoroughly business-like way.

The people of Charlotte are making an energetic effort to induce the board of aldermen to establish a central market and erect a handsome market house. The *Observer* says the project is a popular one and all of the householders are interested. Wilmington has a central market and a dozen "parlor," "palace" and private markets in various portions of the city. The latter properly regulated under the supervision of inspectors are liked better by the people owing to their convenience to householders.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The best election that South Carolina can hold is one to say whether or not the dispensary shall be abolished.—Greenville, S. C., News.

—— The tariff is evidently a local issue. While Connecticut and Massachusetts favor free sugar, free hides and free lead, they are opposed to free tobacco.—Denver News.

—— The loss of $45,000,000 through the Colorado troubles is a small matter compared with the loss of respect for American institutions which they have produced.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

—— It is popular to decry the resort to personalities in the campaign, but most writers and speakers find the foibles and frailties of the candidates more interesting than the party platforms.—Washington Post.

—— As to the legislative candidates elected we have no sufficient returns to indicate what their views will be upon the dispensary question, but that it will again be a prominent issue before the legislature is not doubted.—Columbia Record.

—— New York millionaires who are camping in the Adirondacks have been robbed of jewelry valued at $50,000, but somehow we fail to feel very sorry for the losses of people who try to make a camp in the woods look like the fall opening in the jewelry district.—Washington Post.

—— Republican orators are claiming that President Roosevelt should not now be judged by opinions expressed in his books twenty years ago, yet it is said that the Republicans are delving into Judge Parker's political record for material of another sort. It's a very poor rule that won't work both ways.—Columbia State.

—— The Republican press seems to be hard to suit. When Judge Parker is silent they rail at his silence and say that he has no opinions upon the subject, but when he asserts, as he did in his letter to Mr. Milburn upon the Phillippine question, that we should treat the Filipinos "just as we treated the Cubans" they are dissatisfied and accuse him of trying to foment rebellion and resistance to American authority.—Newburg (N. Y.) Register.

—— Yorkville, (S. C.,) Enquirer: At a meeting of the trustees of the Presbyterian church held yesterday evening it was decided, after due consideration, to take down the galleries that run around the sides and rear of the building. These galleries were put up originally with a view to furnishing accommodations of slaves for the members of the congregations; but of late years they have fallen into disuse, except on special occasions.

—— Some idea of the cost of moderd warfare can be arrived at by taking a Japanese warship like the Kasuga or Nisshin and calculating the number of shots she would discharge. The first named ship carries four cannons, which cost $30,000 each. One of these guns can fire two shots per minute, and every shot costs $400; thus in five minutes these four cannon can discharge forty bombs at a cost of $16,000. The smaller cannon cost each $18,000, and every shot they fire means an expenditure of $70. They are very rapid, and it is estimated that in five minutes the twelve cannon could discharge shot to the value of nearly $35,000.—Leslie's Weekly.

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— "How did you like our new duet?" she asked. "Oh, was that a new duet? I thought you were only quarreling."—Yonkers Statesman.

— "His wife is an ardent temperance worker, isn't she?" "Yes, she won't travel in the West because she heard that the climate is stimulating."—Cleaveland Leader.

—Miss Olde—"I don't think much of the young men of to-day." Miss Fly—"Well, if you wait for the young men of to morrow you are liable to be an old maid."—Chicago News.

— Philadelphia Public Ledger: "Yes," said the barber, "old men and boys are easily flattered." "Yes; you can usually flatter an old man by asking him if he wants a hair cut, and a boy by asking if he wants a shave."

—A rural obituary notice reads: "He never did blame the world for his troubles. We mean the world at large. He just saddled 'em on the settlement where he lived—the folks that he was raised and born with."—Atlanta Constitution.

— Tramp—It is needless to ask the question, madam. You know what I want. Lady—Yes, I know what you want badly, but I've only one bar of soap in the house and the servant is using it. Come again some other time.—Glasgow Evening Times.

— "Why does Harold get so mad when you mention his European trip?" "Don't refer to it in his presence, but when he got to New York some one pasted 'Oskosh,' 'Podunk,' 'Lower Squashville,' and a lot more of the same sort of stuff over the London, Paris, Berlin and Genoa labels on his valise, and he never knew it till he reached home."—Detroit Free Press.

— A Kentucky colonel, who in every other way showed his enjoyment of his Bourbon, always shut his eyes as he lifted his glass to his lips. As this is the way children are usually advised to take unsavory medicine, his friends wondered that the colonel should show such an aversion to looking at the beverage that all the rest of Kentucky likes to gaze on only less than to taste. Some one asked him at last why he always shut his eyes. He replied: "Ah'm afraid if Ah looked at it mah mouth would watah and dilute mah liquah."—New York Tribune.

— Charlotte Observer: It is agreeable to see that the faculty of the University is unanimously opposed to the idea which somebody has sprung, and which has been a good deal discussed, of unifying the University, the Agriculture and Mechanical College and the State Normal and Industrial College, all State institutions, with the University as the head of the combition. There never was a more impracticable scheme.

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Last Big Excursion.

The last big excursion of the year will be operated to Fayetteville on Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 5th, over the famous Atlantic Coast Line, by Thos. H. Knight, whose excursions are always patronized by the best people, because they are absolutely the best of excursions. A visit to Fayetteville is always a most delighful pleasure. Don't miss the last chance of the year, for an opportunity to go to Fayetteville for the exceedingly low price of $1.00 for the round trip does not offer itself every day. Train leaves depot at 7:30 A. M., and will leave Fayetteville on the return at 12:00 o'clock, midnight.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, September 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at $2.40 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $3.75 for dip, $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 52½c; rosin steady at $1.65@1.70; tar firm at $1.65; crude turpentine firm at $1.75, 3.00@3.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	29
Rosin	181
Tar	111
Crude turpentine	110

Receipts same day last year—54 casks spirits turpentine, 185 barrels rosin, 148 barrels tar, 107 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.
Same day last year, nominal.
Receipts—9 bales; same day last year, 29.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.30; extra prime, $1.35; fancy, $1.40, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, $1.05; extra prime, $1.07½; fancy, $1.10. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, 12c.

EGGS—Firm at 20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@20c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6¼c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@4c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Money on call was easy at ½@1 per cent.; closing bid ½ per cent; offered at 1 per cent.; time loans easy and dull; sixty days 2 per cent.; ninety days 2¼ per cent.; six months 3¼ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4 per ct. Sterling exchange easy; actual business in bankers' bills at 487.30@487.35 for demand and 484.70@484.75 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 485¼ and 488¼. Commercial bills 484¼. Bar silver 57¼. Mexican dollars 45¼. U.S. refunding 2's, reg'd, ex int. 104½; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 105½; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 105; do. coupon, 105½; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 131¼; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 131¼; U.S. 4's, old, reg'd, ex int, 106; do. coupon, 107; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 98¾ bid; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 100¼; Seaboard Air Line 4's 87; Southern Railway 5's, 117 bid. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 92; Chesapeake & Ohio 39; Manhattan L 154½; New York Central 123¾; Reading 64; do. 1st pref'd, 84½; do. 2nd pref'd 74½; Southern Railway 29½; do. pref'd 94¾; Amalgamated Copper 57¾; People's Gas 102; Tennessee Coal and Iron 45¼; U. S. Leather 7⅝; U. S. Leather preferred, 86⅞; Western Union 90½; U. S. Steel 13⅜; do. preferred 62¾; Mexican Central 13⅞; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 32⅜; sales 300 shares; do. preferred, closed 106; sales 400 shares. Standard Oil 625.

BALTIMORE, MD., Sept. 2.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 115¼@115⅝; do. preferred, 31½@31¾; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 120¾@121½; do. preferred —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Rosin quiet. Spirits turpentine quiet at 55@56c.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 2.—Spirits turpentine firm at 52½; sales — casks, Rosin firm; sales — barrels; A, B, C $3 37½; D, $3 42½; E, $3 47½; F, $3 53½; G, $3 60; H, $3 70; I, $3 15; K, $3 50; M, $3 85; N, $4 10; W G, $4 40; W W, $4 70.

SAVANNAH, Sept. 2.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 53½c; receipts 619 casks; sales 360 casks; exports 117 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 2,085 barrels; sales 1,909 barrels; exports 371 barrels: A, B, C, $2 50; D, $2 55, E, $2 50; F, $2 65; G, $2 70; H, $2 75; I, $3 30; K, $3 70; M, $4 05; N, $4 30; W G, $4 65; W W, $4 90@4 95.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The cotton market opened at a decline of eighteen to twenty points, in response to easier cables and the liquidation of longs who were apprehensive of a better bureau report than generally expected. During the morning there was much excitement and activity, accompanied by extreme irregularity, but in a general way the market showed weakness, partly due, no doubt, to the feeling that a bullish bureau report had been discounted, while the statement issued by the bull leader after the close of the market on the previous night to the effect that he feared a decline, irrespective of the showing by to-day's report, also caused considerable liquidation. At the low point of the morning prices showed a loss of about thirty-six to forty-four points. As the hour for the monthly report approached there was a partial rally on covering by shorts, who preferred taking profits on the break to awaiting the result of the bureau report and just before the statement was issued September stood at 10.61, Oct. at 10.46, Dec. 10.51, Jan. 10.54, and March 10.63. The reported average condition of 84.1 per cent., was followed by active liquidation. In less than five minutes after the report was read, prices were down about twenty points from the figures prevailing a minute before it was issued. Of course, there was heavy covering on this additional decline, which carried prices nearly a cent a pound from the high point of last Wednesday, but there was also aggressive pressure from leading bear interests, and during the afternoon the market continued to work lower in an irregular way until September was selling around 10.37; October, 10.38, Dec. 10.35, Jan. 10.30, and March 10.40, and at a net decline of forty-eight to fifty-six points. There was a slight rally at the close on room shorts taking profits and the market was finally steady at a net decline of thirty-seven to forty-five points. Sales were estimated at 800,000 bales. The market will remain closed over Labor Day and the action of Liverpool during the interval is awaited with curiosity.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Cotton was quiet at 11.10c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts 1,684 bales; stock 26,029 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 40 points lower; middling uplands 11.10c; middling gulf 11.35c; sales 201 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: September 10.01, October 10.27, November 10.31, December 10.53, January 10.37, February 10.35, March 10.42, April 10.45, May 10.50.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 14,188 bales; exports to Great Britain — bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent — bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 100,293 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 77,519 bales; exports to Great Britain 26,475 bales; exports to France 8,866 bales; exports to Continent 5,945 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 22,862 bales; exports to Great Britain 13,938 bales; exports to France 8,716 bales; exports to the Continent 698 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Sept. 2.—Galveston, steady at 10⅜c, net receipts 7,846 bales; Norfolk, nominal, net receipts 200 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 11.25c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 11.50c, net receipts 5 bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 9 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 11.35, net receipts — bales; Savannah, easy at 11c, net receipts 5,606 bales; New Orleans, quiet and easy at 11, net receipts 235 bales; Mobile, easy at 10¾c, net receipts 94 bales; Memphis, quiet at 10¾, net receipts 63 bales; Augusta, quiet at 10¾, net receipts 978 bales; Charleston, nom. steady at 10⅝, net receipts 233 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Flour was about steady with light demand. Rye flour firm; choice to fancy $4 55@4 85. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red $1 10¾ f. o. b. afloat. Options opened higher on heavy rains in spring white States and firm cables but ruled weak all day under liquidation and aggressive bear pressure, closing ⅛@1⅜c net lower: September closed $1 12½; December closed $1 11¼c; May closed $1 11¾c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 59½c. Options opened firmer with wheat, but with prospects for larger receipts at ¼c net decline: September closed 59½; December closed 58¼c. Oats—Spot dull; mixed, 26@32lbs, 35¼@36c. Options nominal; September closed 37. Peanuts quiet; fancy hand-picked 6@6¼c; other domestic 3@6½c. Cabbages steady; Long Island, per hundred, $1 50@2 50; per barrel crate 25@75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, by steam, 20@25c. Potatoes—Market was quoted steady; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 50@1 62; Jersey and Southern $1 25@1 40; Jersey sweets $2 00@2 50. Butter steady; State dairy, common to extra 12@18c; imitation, common to choice 13@16c. Cheese steady; State, full cream, small colored and white fancy 8¼c; small white 6@7½c; large colored fancy 8½. Eggs quoted firm; State, Pennsylvania and nearby extras 26@27. Lard steady; refined steady. Pork quiet. Rice steady. Malasses firm. Sugar—Raw firm. Cotton seed oil was very firm on light offerings, but with only a fair business reported. Closed: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills 23c; prime summer yellow 39¼@39½; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 32@33c; prime winter yellow 32@33c.

CHICAGO, ILL., Sept. 2.—Unresponsive cables and bearish crop advices resulted in a setback in wheat prices to-day, the December option closing with a loss of 1 3 8 to 1-2c. Corn was down 1-2 to 5 8c. Oats showed a loss of 1 4c. Provisions declined 2 1-2 to 10c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Cash prices: Flour dull and steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring $1 10@1 14; No. 3 spring $1 02@1 13; No. 2 red $1 08@1 10. Corn—No. 2 53¾c; No. 2 yellow 55¼c. Oats—No. 2 31¾; No. 2 white 33¾@34; No. 3 white 32¾@33c. Rye—No. 2 73@73½c. Mess pork, per bbl., $11 00@11 12½. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 95@6 97½. Short rib sides, loose, $7 12½@7 35. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 25@8 50. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 28.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 September, old, 1 08¼, 1 08, 1 07⅛, 1 07½c; do. new, 1 06¾@1 07, 1 07, 1 05¼, 1 05@1 05¾; December $1 09¼@1 09¾, 1 09¾, 1 07⅝, 1 07⅝c; May $1 11¾@1 11¾, 1 11¾, 1 09¾, 1 09¾@1 09⅞. Corn—September 54, 54, 53¼, 53¾c; December 52¾@52¾, 52¾, 51¾, 51¾@52c; May 50¾@50¾, 50¾, 49¾, 49¾c. Oats—No. 2 September 33¾, 33¾, 31¾, 31¾; December 33¾@33¾, 33¾, 33¼, 33¾; May 36¼@36¼, 36¼, 35¾, 35¾c. Mess pork, per bbl—September $11 15, 11 15, 11 00, 11 00; October $11 30, 11 30, 11 07½, 11 10; Jan'y $12 72½, 12 72½, 12 57½, 12 62. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $7 02½, 7 02½, 6 95, 6 95; October $7 15, 7 17½, 7 07½, 7 10; January $6 70, 6 70, 6 60, 6 60. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—September $7 30, 7 30, 7 17½, 7 17½; October $7 42½, 7 47½, 7 32½, 7 32½; January $6 70, 6 70, 6 60, 6 60.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 6¾c; mild steady; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5@10 points. The close was steady at a net decline of 15 points. Sales 75,000 bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 2.—Cotton: Spot, in fair demand; prices six points lower; American middling fair 6.90d; good middling 6.76d; middling 6.64d; low middling 6.48d; good ordinary 6.30d; ordinary 6.03d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 400 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,900 bales American. Receipts none.

Futures opened quiet and closed easy; American middling (g o c): September 6.06d; September and October 5.81d; October and November 5.73d; November and December 5.69d; December and January 5.67d; January and February 5.65d; February and March 5.65d; March and April 5.64d; April and May 5.65d; May and June 5.65d.

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Durham Herald: At least those gentlemen who go north for a few days and find out all about it never bring discouraging reports.

— Durham Herald: The Filipinos are of course not capable of conducting a government like ours, but it may be possible that they neither need nor want a government like ours.

— Salisbury Sun: W. P. Fife, Jr., son of W. P. Fife, the evangelist and mining stock seller, was married August 20th at Boulder, Colorado, to Miss Octavia Elizabeth Shelton, daughter of Judge William Shelton, of Marlin, Texas.

—Salisbury Sun: Otho Herbert, the 6-year-old son of Mr. Smith Cauble, of Locke township, suffered a broken leg last week. The child was watching a party of workmen who were building a residence, when a sill fell upon his right leg, breaking it. The little fellow has met with other accidents, in which both arms and the left leg were broken.

— Raleigh Post, Sept. 1: News was received here last night of the probable fatal shooting of Marcus Mims by a man by the name of Woods near Buckhorn church, this county, yesterday morning. The shooting was purely accidental. It seems that Mims was out squirrel hunting and Woods was hunting wild turkeys, and in some unexplained way Woods came upon Mims in the bushes and mistook him for a turkey and fired upon him. The load of the shotgun took effect in Mims' lungs. Drs. Judd and Burk were examined and rendered medical aid, but the physicians said last evening, it is understood, that there was no hope for the recovery of Mims.

— Charlotte Observer, Sept. 1st: Beginning to-day Charlotte will be right in the lead as far as automobiles are concerned, for she is to have an automobile livery that will compare favorably with any city in the South. The Osmond L. Barringer Co. will put their first machine on the street at 9 o'clock this morning. The stand for the machine is to be in front of Fitzsimmons' drug store and as soon as the business demands it, will add other machines, locating them in different parts of the town. From the present Olds touring cars with seating capacity for four persons besides the driver will be used; this type of machine being the most satisfactory to operate, but later on they expect to put on a larger machine, making regular trips to North Charlotte.

— Greensboro Record: Judge Neal is very accommodating to members of the bar when it does not conflict with what he considers his duty. He also enjoys a joke, especially when he can at the same time elucidate an idea. Yesterday a woman had agreed with the State to plead guilty of keeping a disorderly house and was to pay $150 in one case and all the costs and by agreeing to leave the State judgment was to be held up in another case against her. Judge Neal remarked that the prosecution was familiar with the matter and he supposed the agreement would be that if she was found in the state after ten days she was to be imprisoned without more ado in the second case for twelve months. At this suggestion her attorneys arose with one accord and protested that this was even more than Mr. A. M. Scales, who was psosecuting, had demanded. Of course it was satisfactory to Mr. Scales, but as he had agreed otherwise he did not insist and the case went off in this way. However, what his honor suggested was perfectly fair; the woman agreed to leave the State and if she keeps her word she will not get hurt; if not then she will get her dues.

— The reunion of the State's ex-Confederate soldiers closed at Asheville on Wednesday with the presentation by home talent of "Under the Southern Cross." At the business session during the day General Julian S. Carr was unanimously re-elected commander. The following brigade commanders were elected by acclamation: General P. C. Carlton, of Statesville, first brigade; General W. L. London, of Pittsboro, second brigade; Gen. J. I. Metts, third brigade, and General J. M. Ray, fourth brigade. Following the election of the commanders addresses were made by a number of prominent speakers, the speech of the occasion being by General Stephen D. Lee. General Lee spoke for thirty minutes and was listened to by the old soldiers with rapt attention. He reviewed tde history of North Carolina during the period of the civil war and declared that the heroism and and patriotism of her sons was unsurpassed. General Lee, who was educated in Chunn's cove, two miles from Asheville, spoke of his happy boyhood days and said that he was glad to be here again. Other speakers were General Irvine Walker, of South Carolina, General C. A. Battle, General Hilary A. Herbert, of Alabama, Col. Cunningham, Thomas W. Carwile, of South Carolina, General William D. Pender, General W. P. Roberts, Col. Paul B. Means, and Col. Pickens. During the speaking Ethel Dudley, a niece of General J. E. B. Stuart, was introduced to the audience by General Carr. The parade Wednesday afternoon was a long affair and many old battle flags were carried. After the parade the veterans were given a drive over the Biltmore estate.

Maisie—I was sitting talking to the earl last night when you passed. Daisy—Where were you sitting? Maisie—On the peer.—From Judy.

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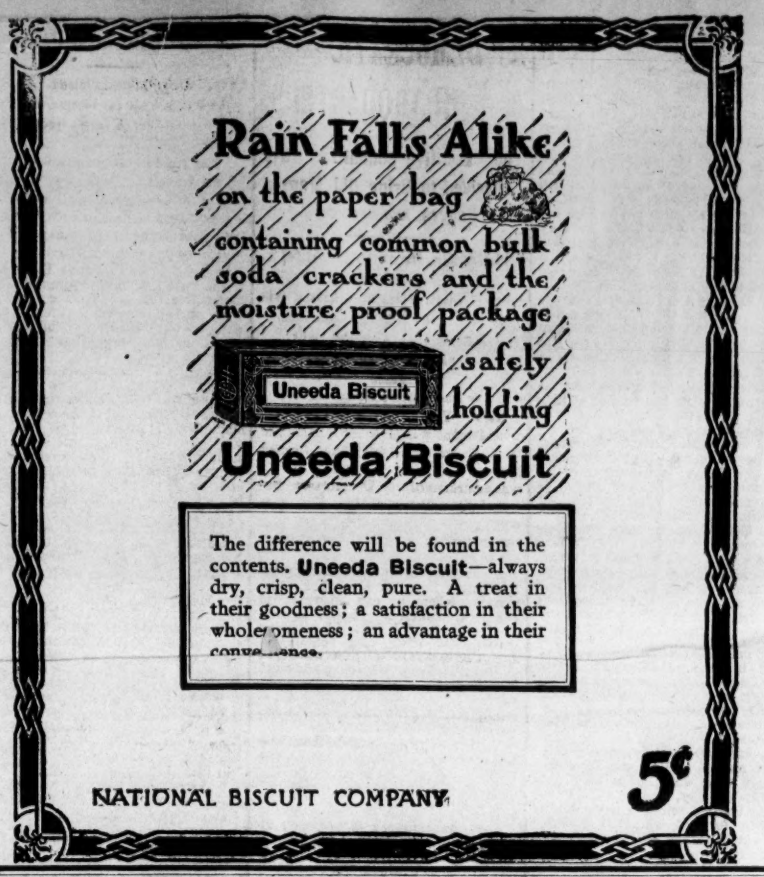
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— Charlotte Observer, Sept. 1: We are glad that Messrs. Webb and Newell have reached an agreement, and that there will be a joint canvass of the district. Mr. Webb won his original point, which was well taken, and the campaign will, under the terms of the agreement, be a genteel one. It is well that an understanding has been arrived at, for the North Carolina people do dearly love a joint debate.

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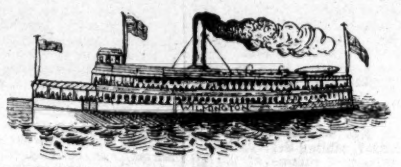

SUMMER SCHEDULE ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, JUNE 5TH.

Boat leaves Wilmington daily except Saturday and Sunday.	For Southport.	For Carolina Beach.	Leave Southport for Wilmington.	Leave Carolina Beach for Wilmington.
	9 15 A. M.	A. M. 9.15 P. M. 2 45	A. M. 11.45	12.30, 6 P. M.
Saturday Schedule...	5.00 and 2.00 P. M.	2.00 P. M.	8.00 A. M., 5.00 P. M	9.00 A. M., 6.00 P. M
Sunday Schedule.....	9.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M	A. M. 9.30 P. M. 2.30, 7.45	11.45 A. M., 4.45 P. M	P. M. 12.30, 6. 8.45

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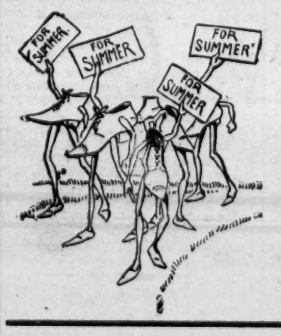

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AT FIRST COST. We have some elegant styles. Come and see them; it will cost you nothing to look.

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All Straw Hats and Children's Wash Suits will be closed out at a great sacrifice.
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In Effect September 1st, 1904.

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*6 00 A. M.	*6 40 A. M.
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*Daily except Sunday
The Company is not responsible for the operation of this schedule.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
10 00 A. M.	*7 30 A. M.
*4 00 P. M.	11 30 P. M.
	*5 30 "

*Daily except Sunday.
Warehouse open to receive freight daily except Sunday from 8.30 A. M. to 7.00 P. M. Sunday from 9.00 A. M. to 10.00 A. M.

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North bound city cars leaving junction at 2.30, 2.40, 3.50 and 3.00 P. M. will run direct to the S. A. L. depot. je 26 tf

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NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 40
Lv Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 01 p m	9 32 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 16 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 55 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 32 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 00 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 25 a m
Ar New York	7 36 a m	2 06 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 p m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 35 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 45 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	6 56 a m
Ar Florence	7 50 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	8 45 a m	Ar 3 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday	South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar 12 30 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

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DAILY TRAIN NO. 39.

Leave Wilmington	3 20 p m
" Lumberton	5 42 p m
" Maxton	6 45 p m
" Laurinburg	7 01 p m
Arrive Hamlet	7 35 p m
Leave Hamlet	7 55 p m
" Monroe	9 50 p m
Arrive Charlotte	10 45 p m

DAILY TRAIN NO. 40.

Leave Charlotte	5 01 a m
" Monroe	5 50 a m
Arrive Hamlet	7 30 a m
Leave Hamlet	8 45 a m
" Laurinburg	9 14 a m
" Maxton	9 20 a m
" Lumberton	10 20 a m
Arrive Wilmington	12 45 p m

DAILY TRAIN NO. 45 EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington	5 00 a m
" Lumberton	7 21 a m
" Maxton	8 04 a m
" Laurinburg	8 18 a m
Arrive Hamlet	8 50 a m

DAILY TRAIN NO. 44 EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Hamlet	7 35 p m
" Laurinburg	8 05 p m
" Maxton	8 30 p m
" Lumberton	9 08 p m
Arrive Wilmington	11 30 p m

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P.M. 10 35	A.M. 9 10	Lv Richmond Ar
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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 23	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 23	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.
Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, SEPT. 3.

PAINFUL SUSPENSE IN ST. PETERSBURG.

Awaiting News from Russian Sources Regarding the Situation at Liao Yang. Confidence in Gen. Kuropatkin.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 3, 3:19 P. M.—The text of the dispatch to the Emperor by General Kuropatkin Thursday evening, the gist of which was given out by the war office, and cabled by the Associated Press at 4:50 o'clock Friday afternoon, was not made public Friday night as expected. It was promised to the local press and was awaited with feverish impatience until two o'clock this morning, when it was announced that it would be issued to-day. All the news heretofore as far as St. Petersburg is concerned is contained in telegrams from foreign sources and there is painful suspense awaiting news from foreign sources.

Continued and dogged confidence in General Kuropatkin is expressed in many quarters, and the public generally, as well as many of the military authorities, absolutely refuse to believe that Liao Yang has been abandoned, or if it has been abandoned that Gen. Kuropatkin is not in a better position to make a strong stand north of the Taitse river.

There seemed to be an air of considerable confidence at Peterhoff Friday night. An official who saw the Emperor Friday afternoon said that he was exiremely confident and in good spirits.

Experts who are familiar with the nature of the intricate and powerful defences constructed north of Taitse by Gen. Vellitchkow, one of Russia's foremost army engineers, believe that the Japanese are facing an almost impossible task in attacking them, especially with divided forces.

It is pointed out that Gen. Kuroki will have to make a considerable detour to reunite his forces. The bridge heads abutting on the north bank of the Taitse river are strongly defended by entrenched artillery, while it is understood that there is a strong rear guard still on the south bank to contest the Japanese advance, thus making the bridges utterly impracticable for a Japanese crossing. The river itself, therefore, becomes an important factor in the general scheme of defence.

THE WORLD'S COTTON.

Total Visible Supply as Shown by Secretary Hester's Statement.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 2.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton, issued to-day, shows the total visible to be 1,103,551 bales, against 1,129,305 last week and 1,088,308 last year.

Of this the total of American cotton is 461,351 bales, against 483,305 last week and 447,308 last year; and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 642,000 against 676,000 last week and 664,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton, there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 568,000 bales, against 533,000 last year; in Egypt 55,000 against 9,000 last year; in India 333,000 against 301,000 last year, and in the United States 161,000 against 160,000 last year.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE.

Complaints Filed With Commission Charging Unreasonable Freight Rates.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—A complaint was filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission to-day by the Warren Manufacturing Co., the Graniteville Manufacturing Co., the Enterprise Manufacturing Co., the Sibley Manufacturing Co., the Augusta Factory and the John P. King Manufacturing Co., manufacturers and shippers of cotton goods, against the Southern, Atlantic Coast Line, Charleston and Western Carolina, Seaboard Air Line and Central of Georgia Railway companies, Clyde Line, Old Dominion Line and Ocean Steamship companies, charging unreasonable shipping rates, and alleging as factors of unreasonableness excessive terminal charges and excessive charges for marine insurance.

CONDITION OF COTTON.

Monthly Report of the Department of Agriculture—State Averages.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—The monthly report of the chief of the bureau of statistics of the Department of Agriculture will show the average condition of cotton on August 25th to have been 84.1, as compared with 91.6 last month; 81.2 on August 25, 1903; 60.4 August 25, 1902, and a ten-year average of 73.2.

The following shows the condition by States on August 25, 1904, viz: Texas, 77; Georgia, 86; Alabama, 84; Mississippi, 87; South Carolina, 87; Arkansas, 88; Louisiana, 87; North Carolina, 88; Tennessee, 88; Indian Territory, 89; Oklahoma, 96; Florida, 88; Virginia, 88; Missouri, 87.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

For the Week Ending Friday, September 2nd, 1904.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending September 2nd, 1904:

	1904.	1903.
Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week ...	77,519	5,490
Total receipts to this date	22,862	4,234
Exports for week..	414,286	5,749
Total exports to date	23,352	4,395
Stock in all U. S. ports.	100,293	148,020
Stock at all interior towns.....	58,711	6,877
Stock in Liverpool,	——	234,000
American afloat for Great Britain ...	——	10,000

The plant of the Mitchell & Rowland Lumber Company, at Toledo, Ohio, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is estimated at $150,000, with insurance of $118,000.

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BATTLE CONTINUES AROUND LIAO YANG.

Fate of Retreating Russian Army Hinges on Bravery and Fortitude of Its Left Wing.

JAPS MAKE NIGHT ASSAULT.

Gen. Oku Gained Ascendency Over Russian Right and Centre—Kuroki is Pressing the Attack on Left. Positions Gained.

The lack of definite information from the seat of war continues to this (Saturday) morning and nothing further regarding the situation at Liao Yang is known beyond the fact that Kuropatkin has withdrawn the main portion of his forces to the north or right bank of the Taitse river and that, according to the latest advices, the action is still in progress.

There is a disinclination in St. Petersburg to believe that Liao Yang has been abandoned, and at the same time it is declared that the position Kuropatkin occupies is the one he had prepared and fortified and where he has all along planned to make his second stand instead of directly in and around Liao Yang, with the river at his back, as has been believed. It is thought by Russian experts that in attacking Kuropatkin's present defences the Japanese are facing an almost impossible attack especially with their forces divided by the river.

Advices reaching Tokio say that the Taitse river is flooded and cannot be forded, and it is pointed out that "the river becomes an important factor in the general scheme of Russian defences."

Dispatches from both Russian and Japanese sources indicate that the troops on both sides are jaded and weary after the many days' fighting, and it is pointed out that in consequence a temporary lull in the active struggle would not be surprising.

A dispatch received at Tokio says that great fires are raging at Liao Yang, believed to result from the Japanese shelling or from the efforts of Russians to destroy their stores preparatory to the evacuation of Liao Yang with the additional hope of injuring the city as a future Japanese base.

The opinion prevails in the Japanese capital that the Russian casualties in the recent fighting will reach 30,000, while the Russian losses of August 31 and September 1 are given in official reports at 5,000 killed and wounded.

The report from Marshal Oyama that he was engaged on Thursday with the Russian centre would indicate that at least a portion of Kuropatkin's army was still on the south bank of the river.

It is not yet definitely stated that the Japanese have occupied Liao Yang.

Report From Gen. Kuropatkin.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 2, 4:30 P. M.—At 4 o'clock this afternoon the War Office received a dispatch from Peterhoff, sent to the Emperor last night by General Kuropatkin, dated at 5 P. M. yesterday, and transmitted to the War Office for publication. The information is extremely meagre and only reveals the truth in the light of the interpretation of those who are conversant with the situation at Liao Yang. It is possible that this is justifiable on strategic grounds. As comunicated to the press the dispatch was that an artillery battle proceeded till near the hour of sending it and that the Russians were retiring upon their "main positions," that General Kuroki was attacking the Russian left, north of the Taitse river, that the railroad station, which is situated one mile northwest of LiaoYang, had been set on fire by Japanese shells, that the station had been transferred across the river to a point on the north bank, that Kuropatkin had passed in review the Third Siberian corps under General Ivanhoff, which showed greatly in the earlier stages of the batile on the east front, and finally that the Russian losses for the two days were 5,000 killed or wounded.

Fighting Resumed at Dawn.

TOKIO, Sept. 2.—The fighting at Liao Yang was continued until a late hour last night. It was resumed at dawn today. The fate of the great bulk of the retreating Russian army hinges upon the bravery and fortitude of its left flank.

Before falling back General Kuropatkin intended that his left to the eastward and northward of Liao Yang should be greatly strengthened in the hope of escaping General Kuroki's advance aroond his flank and to protect his line of retreat and communication. The greatest portion of this protecting force seems to have been massed in the neighborhood of Heiyingtai, twelve miles northeast of Liao Yang, where it was fiercely assaulted by General Kuroki at 11 o'clock Thursday morning. The result of this fighting is not known. If General Kuroki wins and strikes the flank of the retreating Russian army and reaches the railroad it will place the Russians in a serious predicament.

Yesterday the Japanese managed to interfere seriously with the transportation service from LiaoYang. They used some guns captured from the Russians, together with some of their own guns, to bombard the railroad station at Liao Yang, thus preventing the entering of Russian troops.

Few details of the pursuit of the Russian right have been received here. It is expected that the Russians are moving back slowly, contesting the ground and shielding their movements as far as possible.

Nothing concerning the actual occupation of Liao Yang has been received here. Official dispatches indicate that the Russians were still in possession of Liao Yang this (Friday) morning.

Night Assault by Japs.

TOKIO, Sept. 2, Noon.—A telegram received here from the chief of staff in the field indicates that General Oku, in command of the left Japanese army, gained the ascendancy over the Russian right and centre by a night assault.

The Japanese gained a foothold near Hsinlintun Wednesday afternoon, and a telegram says that they occupied Hsinlintun and the eminences to the west of Shoushanpao at three o'clock Thursday morning, after having delivered a successful night attack, which surprised the Russians.

The artillery captured by the Japanese, which they are using against Liao Yang, are described as ten centimeire guns. The number taken is not given.

Gen. Nodzu Advancing.

TOKIO, Sept. 2, 3 P. M.—The chief of the centre Japanese army, Gen. Nodzu, telegraphing early this morning, reported that the Japanese centre was continuing to advance to-day with the object of taking a line from Shinchiyen to Liao Yang and effecting a junction with the Japanese left, commanded by General Oku.

Progress of the Battle.

TOKIO, Sept. 2, 9 P. M.—A few additional details of the progress of the battle at Liao Yang reached Tokio at a late hour to-day.

General Kuroki's right is continuing to press the attack at Heiyingtai, seeking ground whence their guns will dominate the railroad. The troops under General Kuroki are jaded and weary. They have been marching and fighting since August 23, but in spite of this they attacked with spirit. The Japanese were confident that they had already swept back the strong Russian force with which they have been engaged, and it is probable that when the details are known it will be found that a great tragedy was enacted to-day along the Taitse.

The Taitse is flooded and cannot be forded. General Oku, in command of the Japanese left army, has directed his energies to forcing the Russians to the river, and it is probable that many were drowned there.

A private dispatch received here reports that great fires are raging at Liao Yang. This statement is not confirmed officially. The fires are believed to result from the Japanese shelling or from the Russians destroying their stores preparatory to the evacuation of Liao Yang, with the additional hope of injuring the city as a future Japanese base.

Unofficial estimates place the Russian forces in the vicinity of Liao Yong at fifteen divisions of fifteen thousand men each. These are probably excessive, but it is evident that numerically the Russians exceed the Japanese.

Russian Losses.

The opinion that the Russians' casualties in the recent fighting will reach 30,000 is confidently expected in high quarters here. Neither Field Marshal Oyama nor the Japanese army commanders have yet estimated the Russian losses.

It seems that the Japanese avoided a direct assault upon Liao Yang, but devoted their energies to the troops outside the city, and an effort to cut off the Russian retreat. Liao Yang is strongly fortified, and it is probable that the Japanese will not attack the city directly until they have succeeded in isolating it. Should the Russians abandon Liao Yang the Japanese will, of course, enter.

Japs Pursuing Russians.

TOKIO, September 2, 10 A. M.—The Russians began to retreat on the right center from Liao Yang early Thursday. They were thrown into great confusion while attempting to cross to the right bank of the Taitse river. The Japanese pursuing them vigorously, seized a Russian cannon which they used to shell the Liao Yang railroad station. Field Marshal Oyama's right attacked a heavy force of Russians in the vicinity of Heiyingtai, twelve miles north of Liao Yang, at 11 o'clock Thursday. His left began at dawn to-day pressing the Russians towards Taitzho. It is thought that he will severely punish the Russians.

The Japanese casualties in the Liao Yang engagement have not yet been ascertained officially. It is announced to-day that they will not exceed over ten thousand.

Chinese Junks Seized.

TOKIO, September 2, Noon.—Admiral Hosoya reports that the Japanese guardships near Yentac, south of Sanshantao, near Talien bay, Sunday and Monday captured twenty-six Chinese junks which were attempting to carry provisions into Port Arthur. They were taken to Talien and were tried and confiscated. The crews were released.

Last Desperate Stand.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The Times' Tokio correspondent, cabling Friday, says:

"The premature rumors of the fall of Liao Yang are repeated to-day, but a careful analysis of official reports shows that the Russians have mostly been driven into their last line of defences where they will probably make a desperate resistance. Three Japanese armies are closing around them."

NOMINATIONS IN COLUMBUS.

The County Convention Was Held on Wednesday—The Ticket.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

WHITEVILLE, N. C., Sept. 1, 1904.—In a harmonious convention yesterday the following officers were nominated for Columbus county:

For Representative, Hon. James M. Shipman, to succeed himself; Sheriff, J. G. Butler, re-nominated for the fourth term; Register of Deeds, R. Q. Powell, re-nominated for the fourth term; Treasurer, R. H. Powell, renominated for the second term; County Commissioners, R. E. L. Brown, E. W. Wells, and F. B. Pierce.

Homer L. Lyon, Donald MacRackan and Jackson Green, Esqs., were the life of the convention, and made many happy hits in expounding the talents of their respective nominees.

Columbus county is fairly in the fight for Democracy and she will roll up a majority of 1,500 and more in the coming election.

FIRE AND EXPLOSION

Six Persons Burned to Death and Four Others Terribly Injured in Ohio.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

YELLOW CREEK, OHIO, Sept. 2.—Six persons were burned to death and four terribly hurt by a fire and oil explosion here early to day. Dead: Henry S. Fling, Mrs. Henry S. Fling, Miss Unice S. Fling, Dorsey Fling, George Fish, Clinton Moore. Injured: Robert Alexander, Jr., fatally burned; W. W. Fish, may recover.

The house of the Flings was fired by a street lamp and the intense heat set fire to the ring of an oil well near the house. The flames destroyed the derrick and communicated to the tank, which was full of oil. Before the occupants of the house realized their danger a terrible explosion occurred. The blazing oil was thrown all over the house and their escape was cut off. The bodies were recovered after the fire was subdued.

ON THE CANADIAN PACIFIC.

Five Women Passengers Killed and Others Injured in a Train Wreck.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WINNIPEG, MAN., Sept. 2.—The west bound Imperial Limited Express, on the Canadian Pacific railroad, was wrecked last night, colliding with a freight train at Sinialuta, N. W. T., due to an open switch which is supposed to have been left open by one of the crew of the freight train. Five women passengers in the tourist car were killed and four other passengers, the porter and engineer were injured.

The vice regal party, Lord and Lady Minto, were on the train en route to the Pacific coast, but escaped unhurt and resumed their journey.

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS OF COTTON.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept., 2.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st, 1904:

Galveston, 11,940; New Orleans, 235; Mobile, 12; Savannah, 9,820; Charleston, 486; Wilmington, 9; Norfolk, 240; Boston, 240.

Total, 33,362 bales.

AT DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS.

The Executive Committee Have Decided to Bring Old Managers Into Service.

IN CHARGE OF DEPARTMENTS.

Former Senator Jones of Arkansas Will be Connected With the Committee. Watterson of Kentucky Will Address the Editors.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, September 2.—Announcement was made at Democratic headquarters here to-day that former Senator J. K. Jones, of Arkansas, who was chairman of the Democratic National Committee during the past eight years, will be connected with the committee in an advisory capacity. He will not be assigned to any special work or department, but it is expected that he will come to New York and remain, where he can be consulted and give council as to his experience. General Walsch, of Iowa, who was secretary of the old committee, and J. G. Johnson, who was chairman of the executive committee during the last campaign, have been placed in charge of departments at national headquarters. The statement is made that these gentlemen have come here at the request of Chairman Taggart.

Messrs. Jones, Johnson and Walsh were the active managers of the campaign of 1900 and Mr. Bryan had no warmer supporters in the party than they.

Further announcement is made that Col. James M. Guffey, of Pennsylvania, member of the executive committee, will be at headquarters next week to give his time and attention to politics until the end of the cam paign.

It was stated by an official at headquarters to-day that the members of the executive committee have decided to bring the old campaign managers into active service, because there had been criticism among Bryan men that the whole management of the campaign had been turned over to the gold Democrats, or those who had not supported the presidential nominee in two elections.

Judge Parker's Visitors.

ESOPUS, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Henry Watterson, the Kentucky editor and orator came to Rosemount to-day with Mrs. Watterson and discussed with Judge Parker certain details of the Democratic campaign from the point of view of one who has participated actively in seven political conflicts. Mr. Watterson is in the East for the purpose of attending the meeting of the Democratic editors which is to be held in New York next week. The conference lasted some time and the editor and his wife remained to luncheon, returning to New York in the afternoon.

Mr. Watterson spoke hopefully of the prospects for Democratic success this Fall, but agreed with many other experienced party leaders that it is yet too early to make an intelligent forecast.

"I have confidence in the reports from all parts of the country that the Democratic party is thoroughly united," he said. "The party will poll its normal vote, but this will be true also of the Republican party. This year, as in many former years, the independent vote will be the decisive element, and it appears to me that the trend of this vote is toward Judge Parker."

Regarding his plans for the campaign, he said:

"My labors will be confined to my own particular sphere, and I shall extend my writing to do as much for Judge Parker as I can. I have not been on the stump since 1892. I said at that time that I would not attend another national convention or again go on the stump. I was in seven consecutive conventions, and feel that I have done my part. I was asked to make an address next Wednesday night to the Democratic editors who are to meet in New York, and I have accepted. On this occasion I have decided to speak from the subject, "If I were a Republican." If I were a Republican now, I would vote for Parker, and in my address I will tell why I would vote for Parker."

There was considerable surprise at Rosemount this evening when a correction was made of a statement issued in the morning to the effect that Judge and Mrs. Parker had completed their arrangements for a St. Louis trip. It is now announced that Judge Parker has changed his mind in regard to the trip, and in all probability will not leave Rosemount again during the campaign.

AN ELEVATOR ACCIDENT.

Two Persons Killed and Six Others Seriously Injured in Chicago.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, ILL., Sept. 2.—Two people were killed and six seriously wounded by the falling of an elevator in the store of Sears, Roebuck & Company this afternoon.

The passenger elevator ordinarily used in the building was out of repair and the freight elevator was used during the day by the customers and employes. While a load of passengers were being carried up the cable parted, allowing the elevator with its load of ten people to fall three stories. The conductor of the elevator, Philip Caldwell, was instantly killed, and Kate Hayes, 40 years of age, was so badly hurt that she died this evening in the hospital. Six others of the people who were in the elevator at the time of accident were injured but not fatally.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 3; Chicago, 5.
Philadelphia St. Louis, no game, wet ground.
Boston, 4; Cleveland, 3.
New York, 13; Detroit, 6.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 2; Brooklyn, 1.
Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 1.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Montgomery, 4; Nashville, 2.
Birmingham, 5; Atlanta, 1.
New Orleans-Shreveport, rain.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Macon, 5; Columbia, 3.
Jacksonville, 14; Augusta, 3.
Savannah, 0; Charleston, 1.

The schooner "Mary E. Morse," Captain Bunbrier, arrived in Norfolk leaking badly, after having been blown against the bow of a warship in Hampton Roads. The schooner had a big hole stove in her bow.

What you pay for extract is important, but what you get for your money is ten times more important. Burnett's Vanilla costs more because it is worth more.

TO FIGHT THE TRUST PACKERS

Chicago Strike Leaders Intend a Fight to the Finish—A Meat Famine Will be Forced—Peace Terms Ignored.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, ILL., Sept. 2.—"A meat famine will be forced at all costs. It is the weapon with which to fight the trust packers, although it may not be welcomed by the independents."

In these words President Donnelly, of the Butchers' national organization, to day declared a boycott against all meat, and announced that union men will quit in all packing establishments this afternoon, regardless of where live stock is secured.

Donnelly's announcement was made at the conclusion of a meeting of the allied trades conference board. The executive board of the retail meat dealers of Chicago had just been in conference with Mr. Donnelly and his associates, having come to ask certain concessions for the independent packers and to seek authority to attempt to bring about a meeting between the packers and the strikers.

By ignoring these latest attempts at peace and by adopting such an aggressive step, the strike leaders demonstrate the intention to make it a fight to a finish. Indications are that the five independent packers within the stock yards enclosure will join the big packers in their fight while those outside will endeavor to continue operating with union crews. Within the yards the independents are obviously preparing for war, a wagon load of cois having been taken to one plant.

The police record of the strike at the stock yards station to date reads: "Assaults 46; murders 4; accidents 97; removed to hospitals 43.

WARM WIRELETS

A strike of negro teamsters who haul cotton at New Orleans went into effect yesterday. Not a bale of cotton was moved in the city and the efforts to bring about a compromise of the differences have failed.

The Chicago and Alton railway has passed to the ownership of the Union Pacific. By the purchase of the Alton line by the Harriman interests, Chicago now has another line of railway in direct connection with San Francisco.

Chairman Josephus Daniels, in charge of the Democratic editorial conference, has made arrangements for the visit of the editors to Esopus. They will go by steamer and will be presented to the candidate upon their arrival.

Ten companies of the First regiment, National Guard of Tennessee, left Nashville last night over the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad for Manassas, to participate in the army manœuvres there. The regiment is commanded by Col. W. C. Tatom.

Hezekiah A. Gudger, American consul general at Panama, has arrived at Washington, D. C., on leave of absence, intending to visit his home in North Carolina as soon as he has had the opportunity to report to the officials upon the condition of affairs on the isthmus, as he left them.

The list of casualties in the fighting around Liao Yang is growing, and indications are that it will prove to be the bloodiest battle since the Franco-Prussian war. The Japanese have already reported over twenty-five thousand men killed and wounded.

President William L. Jencks, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, last night announced that the elevated railroad employes of Manhattan and the Bronx at their meeting yesterday voted as a unit to strike if such action is deemed necessary.

The committee of information and statistics of the Savannah Cotton Exchange yesterday sent a telegram to James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, stating that the exact figures of the agricultural department's monthly report were known in Savannah three minutes before the report was published and asking for an investigation.

The Paris edition of the New York Herald prints the following from its Geneva correspondent: "A high official of the Ottoman court has received news of a serious fight between the Sultan's Albanian guard and Bosnians, which continued almost to the doors of the Harem. Many were killed and wounded."

The National Dental Association at St. Louis has elected the following officers: President, E. W. Boardman, of Boston; Vice-Presidents, S. J. Lucky, of Hill Springs, Miss., for the South, and William Conrad, of St. Louis for the North and West; Secretary, Dr. A. H. Peck, of Chicago; Corresponding Secretary, C. S. Butler, of Buffalo; Treasurer, Dr. Turner, of Raleigh, N. C.

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Laid to Rest in Oakdale.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Marianne Riach, widow of the late Mr. W. A. Riach, auditor of the Atlantic Coast Line, took place yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church. Owing to the absence of the Rev. Dr. Wells, the services were conducted by the Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church. The music was sweet and tender and the hymns were sung by a quartette consisting of Mrs. James D. Smith, Miss Lena Mills, and Messrs. Brooke French and H. K. Holden. The hymns beautifully sung were "Asleep in Jesus" and "Abide With Me."

There was a large assembly of sorrowing friends, and from the church they followed the remains to Oakdale cemetery, where they were tenderly laid by the side of her lamented husband. The pall-bearers were as follows:

Honorary—Capt. John F. Divine, Messrs. W. N. Royall, Wm. E. Worth and Junius Davis

Active—Messrs. H. C. McQueen, James H. Chadbourn E. Borden, N. N. Davis, George S. LeGrand and J. T. King.

Interesting Lectures.

Dr. Chas. J. Nall, of New York, who has been giving a series of interesting lectures in the city, will make two talks at the Second Advent church. The first will be delivered Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and the subject will be "The Fact of a Universal Deluge." The second address will be made Tuesday night at 8:15 o'clock, when the subject will be "The Repeopling of the Earth." The public is invited and no charge will be made for admission. Dr. Nall has complete charts to give illustrations of his subjects.

Governor Carr's Daughter to Be a Nurse.

Says the Richmond *Times Dispatch* of yesterday: "Miss Eleanor Carr, daughter of former Governor Elias Carr, of North Carolina, has decided to become a trained nurse, and will to day enter the training school of the Memorial Hospital. Miss Carr reached the city last night and is stopping at the Jefferson. She is expected to enter upon the duties of her new position to-day. Miss Carr is one of the most prominent and popular young society women of North Carolina."

Church Notices.

First Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Market streets, Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor. Preaching to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sunday School at 4:30 P. M. Prayer and Praise service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Public cordially invited to all services.

In the absence of the pastor the Rev. C. F. Rankin, of Red Springs, will conduct the services at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at 11 A. M. to-morrow. There will be no service at night.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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For Rent.—That desirable store, No. 325 North Front street, in the Y. M. C. A. building, from October 1st. Price, $40 per month. W. M. Cumming, Real Estate and Notary. sept 2 tf ex su

Phone 1023 is at the Gallery of U. C. Ellis, 114 Market street. Get our latest styles before placing your order. au 31 tf

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